## THE LONDON MARKET FIRM

The Discouraging News From South Africa Without Effect.

Advances of American Stocks Pronounced in London-The Foreign Houses Buy Freely in New York. Sugar and Leather the Leading Features of the Industrial List.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.-While this morning's intelligence in respect to the situation in South Africa could hardly be regarded as encouraging, the London stock market was reported strong with substantial advances in the American quarter. The local market opened fairly active and materially higher in response to this circumstance. The advances in the London listed stocks were pronounced, notably in Louisville and Nashville and St. Paul. As the New York market continued to rule below the Lon don parity foreign houses bought stocks quite freely in the carly dealings.

Brooklyn Rapid Transit was the only active feature of the local traction issues, Farmers & Mechanics'. which were otherwise rather quiet. Sugar Refining, United States Leather, common, and Glucose Sugar Refining, were the features of the industrial quarter. As was the case yesterday little attention was paid to Lincoln. any features of the situation other than the conditions in South Africa.

## New York Stock Market. Corrected daily by W. B. Hibbs & Co., members of the New York Exchange, 1413 F Street.

1419 F Street.				
	Open.			2:15
A. S. Wire	46 %	48%		48%
American Sugar	:16			1164
American Tobacco	98%		981/4	993
Atchison		19%		193
Atchison pfd	€0 €	60%	60%	693
B. & O. qfd	74%	74%		743
Baltimore & Ohio	58	58	57%	573
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	71	72%	71	713
Chesapeake & Ohlo	29%	29%	29%	293
C. C. C. & St L	61	61	61	61
C. B. & Q	1211/	12%	12134	1213
Chicago & Northwestn		15 %	159 %	
Chicago Gas		104%	104	1913
C. M. & St. Paul	11814	118%	118	118
C R. L & P	106/2	106%	106	1.6
Chi. & Great West'n	13%	359	134	133
Consolidated Gas	191	192	191	192
Con. Tobacco	32	32%	32	Ow.
Federal Steel	50%	50%	50%	505
Louisville & Nashville	₹0%	80%	797	80
Metropolitan Traction	166	168	.66	168
Manhattan Elevated	13%	54.%	93.5	93
Missouri Pacific	125	43%	42%	4.3
New York Central	133.4	33%	33 4	133
Northern Pacific				
Northern Pacific pfd	7334	3%	73%	3
Pacific Mail	43%	3 %	43.4	43
Reading firsts	50%			
Southern Pacific	37.%	37.76	37.5	373
Southern Railway	11%	1.%	1156	
Southern Railway pfd	54	54	54	54
Texas Pacific	15%	15%	15%	15
Tenn. Coal & Iron	84%	81%	84	84.
Union Pacific	46%	46%	-6.72	
Union Pacific pfd		15%	1018	15
Wabash pld			:0%	:0.
Western Union Tel	. 86%	86%	863	86

affair much like all recent sessions, but it was more satisfactory than yesterday in that the tendency of prices was upward rather than downward. London was a purchaser of American securities, and under the influence of this the opening was at advanced prices. Louisville especially jumping a full point over night. The ad-vance was continued during the first hour in a small way, duliness being much more consplcuous than the gains made. News in this country is all satisfactory in the in this country is all satisfactory in the extreme. Money was loaning at 3 per cent today, and there was again the reassuring mnnouncement that the subtreasury is further in debt to the banks. The St. Paul earnings for the third week of January, were announced this morning, and had a good effect on the stock, as was to be expected, as the showing is the best ever made by the company for this period of the year. Other earnings announced yesterday and today were all most favorable.

The gross earnings of St. Paul for the o'clock, with former Governor Stannard, increased \$89,292. ing of the presiding. The at The increase since the beginning of the fiscal year has been, \$2,234,300. The earnings of the line in January, 1898 were the largest on record at that time, and the fact that there has been an increase this month every week cannot be regarded as anything else than remarkable. St. Paul was strong this morning, with an advance of a point from the low price of yesterday in a short time. Others of the group were also strong, regalning a large part of their yesterday losses.

Brooklyn Rapid Transit was stronger bead of the Department of Industries and

Brooklyn Rapid Transit was stronger today, and Metropolitan advanced quickly three points or more, nearly to 169, in the first hour. The other traction securities were also better. Opinions differed as to the probable immediate course of these securities, but an advance of several points would not be much of a survise to careful people. Revenue bill.

Finley Acker read the report of the standing Committee on Postal Affairs. Mr. Acker spoke of the importance of establishing the 1-cent letter rate of postage, and went into a detailed description of how the Government could afford to do so.

Representative R. Adams, jr., made a short address on consular reform, after the standard of prise to careful people.

It is now officially announced that the directors of the Norfolk and Western will declare the dividend on the preferred stock next week instead of in the second week of February, as is the usual custom. No prospect of a dividend on the common

The Illinois Central has finished its line rom Omaha to Fort Dodge, on the Minne polis and St. Louis Railway, thus allow-ng of a direct line to St. Paul and Minne

The Sieel and Wire meeting will take place on January 29. Doubt is still expressed as to the rate of the dividend to be declared on the common stock, but prudent people are now saying that it will probably be more than 5 per cent.

The truce between the Northern Pacific and the Union Pacific over the Clearwater oubles has been extended indefinitely ain and the matter is now giving neither

line's officers much anxiety. There has been indefinite rumor of op

position to the People's Gas Company, legislative and otherwise, but it has apparently no better foundation than the same kind of gossip in the past. The stock was rather weak yesterday, with the renainder of the market, but today was well supported, and made a small gain. Care-

ful people believed to be well informed regarding the prospects of the company and its present business are extremely bullish regarding the stock.

Leather, which was weak yesterday, apparently on the theory that the insiders were selling out, regained some of its lost ground today, but still cannot be said to less be taken by mail on the applications for membership. At the next regular meeting the schedule will be adopted. This meeting may be held in this city. The have showed much buoyancy. Conservative market people advise keeping out of the stock, and with excellent reason, even if it is to be proven shortly that the Rock-efellers are in control of the company.

last meeting was held at Old Point. Washington Stock Exchange. Sales—Ches. & Pot. Tel. Con. 5's, \$6,000@ .04; Potomac Fire Ins., 50@75; Capital Praction, 100@91 7-8; Mergenthaler Lino-



type, 20@194 3-4; Amer. Graphophone, pfd., 20@42 3-8. After call—District Title Insurance, 50@3 5-8; U. S. 4's coupon, \$1,000@14 1-4; Washington Gas, 63@53 1-4.

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New York Cotton Market.

THE BOARD OF TRADE.

Reports and Addresses Before the

National Organization.

The second day's session of the National

Board of Trade began this morning at 10

head of the Department of Industries and

Commerce, Waldo Smith, of the New York Board of

Trade, made an address on the Internal

FIRE DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

iome Resignations and Appoint ments in the Service.

The Commissioners have approved the llowing changes in the Fire Department:

DeWitt Smith, resigned, to take effect

James T. Hopkins, removed, result of

charges preferred against him before Trial

William Tegleropp, appointed vice Hop-

DeWitt Smith has been appointed a pri-vate of class one on the police force.

THE VIRGINIA LEAGUE.

Circuit of Ball Clubs to Be Completed Soon.

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., Jan. 24.-It is

probable that the circuit of the Virginia Baseball League will be completed in a

few days. Petersburg has been admitted

to the league. The complete formation of

the leage is now awaiting the disposition

of the Hampton franchise. Just who will

take it is not known. Suffolk, which is

across the river from this city, has made application, and if Hampton is not ad-mitted Suffolk may be favorably consid-

The next vote of the league will doubt

Havana Street Railway Monopoly.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Jan. 24 .- A. F.

Gouth, and William Downs, two prominent

Canadian capitalists, have just returned from Cuba. They state that they have se-

cured control of all the surface roads in

Havana, and other concessions, giving them a monopoly of the street railroads

To Reorganize the Weather Bureau

The House Committee on Agriculture agreed today to report lavorably the bill

elius Logan, appointed, vice Smith,

which the mee.ing adjourned.

Revenue bill.

January 23.

Officer Pugh.

Open. High. Low. 2:15

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two horses with equipments; casualties, three men wounded, one seriously. "General Young reports action of Sterver, Third Cavalry, against General Tinio's force in the north; inflicted very heavy loss on insurgents, in which twenty-eight were killed; that Dodd's troop attacked insurgents near Santa Lucia, killed six, no casualties; reported from the south enemy evacuated Santa Cruz, supposed to be on eastern coast; that city in our possession last two days; Schwan besession last two days; Schwan b our possession has two days, schward seleved to be in pursuit; no late repor from him; coast Laguna de Bay an neighboring sections of country opened tunrestricted traffic, 27th instant; wester coast island Panay opened for trade."

THE DEAD SOLDIERS BURIED.

Yellow Fever Victims. The obsequies over the bodies of forty ix soldiers recently brought from Cuba, were held in Arlington National Cemeter; today. The remains which were brought from Santiago, Cuba, were taken to the cemetery last night, being watched over by a special guard of honor.

A Life Convict Dropped From the

MIDDLETOWN, Conn., Jan. 24.-At the nnual meeting of the society connected with the South Congregational Church, Joseph A. Hough, who has been a member of that church for eight years, was expelled, Hough was recently sentenced for life or murder. He had always been active religious duties while he was a residen of Middletown, not only in the church of which he was a member, but in the Young Men's Christian Association.

which position he held up to the time he

The Fitchburg Road Not Leased BOSTON, Jan. 24.-It took the director of the Fitchburg Railroad just twelve min utes to dispose of the question of leasing that road to the Boston and Maine. There was a full attendance at the meeting, including the State directors and Dr. W. Seward Webb. The letter from President Tuttle, of the Boston and Maine, withdrawing all negotiations with regard to the lease was read by President Codman and then placed on file, ending the matter than the Poston and Maine is con-

More Liquor as the City Grows. YORK, Pa., Jan. 24.-Judges Bittenge and Stewart have granted a number of new liquor licenses on the ground that York is growing so rapidly that more hotels are a necessity. Bottlers who sell beer to clubs and houses of ill-repute were warned to cease the practice.

CHICAGO, Jan. 24 .- Whitman Brothers' Street was this morning partially destroy by benzine and other rial which was stored in the factory. The loss is estimated at \$25,000. The entire neighborhood was driven from their houses by the dense clouds of smoke.

Cracked the Prisoner's Head. ALLENTOWN, Pa., Jan. 24,-George eith of South Bethlehem, is lying at the Allentown Hospital in a critical condition Allentown Hospital in a critical condition as the result of a beating he received yesterday afternoon from Officer Daniel Geary. The latter arested Smith for drunkenness. On the way to the stationhouse the prisoner resisted and struck at the officer. Geary then drew his mace and struck Smith two blows on the heads, fracturing his skull.

The Yale Commencement Address. NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 24.-It was given out today that the annual commence ent address would be delivered at the Yale Law School this year by W. Bourke Cochran, of New York City. The invita ion to Mr. Cochran was sent several days His answer was received today. The address will be given on Monday afternoon, June 25, in College Street hall. Mr. Cochran

Blown Up by Powder.

SCRANTON, Pa., Jan. 24.—Patrick Cogsgriff, and Elmer Howard, quarrymen at mmersville on the Lackawanna road, were terribly torn and mutilated by an

The Harvard Relat Team. CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Jan. 24.-As a re alt of the time trials held here Designer Lathrop has selected the following men to run on the Harvard relay teams again

tain), and M. F. Hewett. 1901.

The team to run Georgetown is J. H. Converse, 1902; S. H. Bush (captain), 1901; A. W. Blakemore, 3 Law, P. L. Fish, 1901; H. J. Winslow, 1902, and J. G. Willis, jr. The men to run will be G. Willis, jr. The men to run will be chosen from the team at the time of the

The Capital Stock Subscribed. tal stock of the company has been all sub-scribed. The offices will be opened for

HACRUM OUT OF THE SERVICE. he State Department No Longer

Recognizes the Consul. State Department officials said today that o matter what view Charles Macram, ormer Consul at Pretoria, took of his ase, he certainly on longer a consul the United States.

A despatch from Paris quotes Mr.

Macrum as saying: "I am still in the United States Consular Service; I certainly ave received no intimation to the conrary." At the State Department it was aid there was no necessity of sending Mr. lacrum an official notice that he was no onger in the service, as Mr. Vacrum himself had asked to be lieved, and to have a successo ppointed, and when he left his post in retoria he stepped out of the Consular ervice of this country and would not be einstated unless he showed good reason or leaving his post. Even then it is loubtful if he will be returned to Pretoria. as Mr. Hay, the son of the Secretary of State, is now the Consu! at Pretoria, and there is no place vacant for Mr. Macrum.

AMERICANS AT MONTE CARLO. Very Large Number Expected at

the Riviera.

(From the New York Commercial Advertiser.)

"The first Americans have arrived," writes a resident of Monte Carlo. "It is xpected that an unusually large number of them will visit the Riviera this winter. The hotels have made every preparation the young women paid no attention to e people about them. The party has tt for Milan, Florence, Rome, and Na es, and will be in Paris in March.

ples, and will be in Paris in March.

"The impression is general that one cannot live cheaply in Monte Carlo. This is a mistake. There are hotels, well furnished and well kept, where a person may live en pension for \$2.50 a day. The cuisine is good, the wines also, and the hotels are comfortable. I may add that several of these cheaper hotels have an outlook over the Monaco Bay and the Mediterranean. Curiously enough, there are no hotels in Monaco proper—I mean the rock upon which stands the palace of the prince. The position is admirable, and a large hotel in Monaco would be a great success undoubtedly, but the trouble is the prince would not consent to having a hotel upon the rock. In all the principality the will of the prince is paramount, and even the making of alterations in my building, or the erection of a new building, depends upon the consent of his berene highness."

HIS SHAPE AGAINST HIM.

Case Where Physique Lost Greg ory a Position.

seems to occur to people that good-looking men get all the best jobs in men's work. But they do. A tall, portly, well-dressed man will make his way with half the brains of an insignificant-looking, carelessly dressed fellow. In ninety-nine cases out of a hundred a successful politician, professional man, or business man is hand-some, or big and fine-looking, as they

"A few days ago a friend of mine lost a job that pays \$10,000 a year simply be cause he is homely and weighs only 12 ounds. A manufacturer wanted a super

ately for Gregery to come and take the place. Gregory reported for duty at a manufacturing town 200 miles away. He wore his best clothes and was thoroughly well groomed. But Gregory is small and

the manufacturer shook his head in de

I thought you'd be a big, fine ooking fellow. The fact is, you won't do at all, Gregory. I'm sorry, but you won't lo at all. Why, the men won't be bossed by a man who doesn't weigh more than

"That ended it. Gregory lost the job, and he was an expert, too, as far as knowl-edge of the work in hand was concerned."

THE HAZING OF SHERMAN.

(From the Chicago Times-Herald.) When General Sherman had been at West Point less than a week he and three other plebs, whose names have not been handed down by cadet tradition, were in named down by cauch traumon, were in the room assigned to them in the old cade barracks, when they heard outside thei door a conversation among half a dozer yearlings which ran something like this: "I think the plebs in this room will some

greenhorns that he and his little party of followers considered it their duty as the plebs' superior officers to give them advice as to the arm of the service which they should enter after graduation. "We also," said the leader, "wish to give you some practical instruction in the service branch to which we refer in order that you may be the surer to be recommended for com-The plebs, with She'man on the right, were then rapsed in a row facing their ormentors. They were all ordered to raise tormentors. They were all ordered to raise their arms and crook their elbows, so as to give them the appearance of wings. Then, as the order came, "Prepare to fire by piece; No. 1, fire," Sherman flapped his arms and crowded like a rooster. No. 2 followed with his crow, and so on down the line. Then they "fired by battery. The order went back to "fire by piece," again, and the man who afterward marched from Atlanta to the sea had just let out a vociferous crow when the yearlings dug for the dark hallway and disappeared like a flash. In another Instant an army officer was in the room and Sherman was severely reprimanded for "creating a dissevered the sea of the se

When a Boer Signs His Name.

(From the Leadon Mail.)

The Boer may be fairly good at handling a rife, but he is eadly deficient in his ability to bandle a pen. When the average Boer has to attach his name to a document an air of importance pervades his dwelling for several hours. The children are constantly chided, the patient "vrouw" has a preoccupied look, and the husband himself puffs even more vigorously than usual at his pipe. Eventually a corner of the table is cleared and carefully wiped. The family Bible is placed in position, and the sheet of paper requiring the signature placed upon it. An expectant silence falls upon the company. "Stiltet" cries the wife. "Stilte, kindotics, papa gaat sein maan teken." ("Husb, children, father is about to sign his name.") The family stands round open-mouthed, and all eyes gaze expectantly upon the paper. With arms bared for the fray, and with pen carefully poised, the Boer bends to his task. The ben is cripped firmly between his horny fingers. In thick ungainly secatches, and with slow and painful motion, the pen begins to work, and at the end of it, it may be four minutes, the deed is accomplished. (From the Lendon Mail.)

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FRANCIS of Equity.

This cause being referred to me to report distribution of the proceeds of sale of real estate of the late Daniel P. Leane, deceased, I will proceed with the said reference on SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1900, AT 21 O'CLOCK A. M., at the auditor's rooms, in the United States Court House in this city. All persons having claims agains the estate of the said Daniel P. Leane are notified to present the same with the proofs at the sai me and place.

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LOST—Pocketbook containing 10 laundry tick pawn ticket for came, and Cuban lunch re-card. Re-yard, return to MR. P. JONES, Gr Opera House.

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IOST—Pockethory, 3 tings, one plain, with
tials F. D. S. to F. E. D.; car tickets, l
silver hearts, 30 cents in change; \$5 reward.

New Jersey ave. se.

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FOUND—lee cream, pure and dellcious, 70c, per gallon, LACEY CREAMERY CO., 607 N. Y. ave. nw. 'Phone. 2081. jc27-tf.

WINTER IN SWITZERLAND. No Stormy Days in the Higher Altitudes.

(From the Chicago News.)

There is no doubt that the plan of taking a winter holiday in Switzerland is being more largely adopted of late years, for all who try it discover the country is more lovely in winter than in summer. During December January and February in the December, January, and February in the high Swiss altitudes there are never any stormy days, and winter sports, such as tobogganing, skating, hockey on ice and sleighing, all offer ample opportunity for

All this gayety has developed within a few years. Flfteen years ago a shrewd man opened a big hotel at Grindelwald in man opened a big hotel at Grindelwald in winter and the inhabitants around about were filled with amazement at the wild idea, for nobody imagined it would ever be anything but a big failure. Yet last winter guests had to be turned away.

New roads are being built, new hotels springing up for the express accommodation of the winter travelers. Skating and tobogganing on the Engadine have become famous and the growth of the popularity of St. Moritz is marveleus. Anything more beautiful than the lake there after the first beautiful than the lake there after the first frost before the snow has fallen cannot be imagined, while the ice-tobogganing is the fastest in the world.

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his hole.

Thinking him dead the Burmese sharp-shooters ceased firing, and, after a mauvalse quart d'heure Wolseley made another attempt to extricate himself from his position. Amid the smoke of some vigorous volley firing he emerged from his perilous prison and ran for his life. He was 150 yards from the British line, and he declares that he ran on expecting every moment to be perforated with bullets. He escaped, however, although severely wounded, a less fortunate comrade falling dead within a few inches of the tuture commander in chief. tuture commander-in-chief.

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The Success of American Troops Four Small Battles. eral minor actions in the Island o were reported to the War Depart today by Major General Otis. The ign in southern Luzon has resulted ning the coast of Laguna de Bay and boring sections to unrestricted trade, the west coast of Panay has been to trade also. General Otis' des-

follows:
acArthur, 20 to 23, reports four minagements, in which five insurgent, several wounded and captured; als red few rifes and other property asualties; that Major Bishop, Thirty with de-Infantry, in North Zambales with d achment six men, attacked two insurger ompanies, killed nine, wounding and car uring fourteen, secured twenty-two rifles everal thousand rounds of ammunition two horses with equipments; casualties

The Interment at Arlington of the

a special guard of honor.

These soldiers died of yellow fever during
the Spanish campaign, and were temporarily interred near Santiago. Among them
are ten unidentified dead, who were buried with their comrades.

Rev. Mackay Smith, of St. John's Episcobal Church, and Father Dolan of St.
Patrick's Catholic Church, officiated at the

services.

The President in company with the Secretary of War and the Attorney General, witnessed the ceremonies. A detachment of cavalry from Fort Myer fired the military salute, and the bugler sounded taps over the graves.

Owing to the condition of the weather the exercises were very brief.

EXPELLED FOR CAUSE.

Church Rolls.

Jesse W. Smith's Career NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 24.-Lieut. Jesse W. Smith, collector of the port of Gebara, Cuba, who was shot and killed by the Cuba, who was shot and shired by the editor of a Cuban paper, was from New Orleans. He came here from Rock Falls and engaged in business. He enlisted as a private in Hood's Regiment (the Second Inmunes) in the war with Spain and rose to a lieutenancy. When the regiment returned to the United States Smith remained behind and was made collector at Gebara. and and was made collector at Gebara,

so far as the Boston and Maine is con-

A Fire Loss of \$25,000. picture frame factory at 127-129 Sangamon ed by fire, which broke out in the base-ment of the building. The flames were fed by benzine and other inflammable mate-

has not yet selected his subject.

were terribly torn and intuitated by an explosion of powder last evening. Howard died this morning, and Cogsgriff is hardly expected to survive. The men were working at a forge at the time sharpening quarry tools, when a spark flew from the anvil into an open keg of powder some distance away, blowing up the shop and burying the men in the ruins. ing the men in the ruins.

Columbia and Georgetown on Saturday evening next. The team to compete with Columbia is A. L. Dean, 1900; W. G. Clerk, 1901; M. L. Bernstein, 1900; A. M. Butler, 1902; W. Applegate, 1901 (captain), and M. F. Hewett, 1901.

It is announced at the office of the Union rust and Storage Company that the capi-

of them will visit the Riviera this winter. The hotels have made every preparation for the hoped-for guests. In the mean-while the Russians, Austrians, and especially the Germans, are arriving in rumbers every day now, and they will ensure a fairly successful season. During the last week of December a party of young American ladies arrived. They were chaperoned by a somewhat elderly lady, and, having disembarked at Genoa, came here to pass their Christmas. They attracted much attention. Some persons thought them overbold to go about thus without male attendants, but admired them for having the courage to do so—all the more aving the courage to do so-all the mor

even the making of alterations f

(From the Chicago Inter-Ocean.)
"We hear a lot of talk of pretty wome etting all the best positions as clerks, ste-tographers and so on, remarked the un-dersized little man to his chum. "It never eems to occur to people that good-looking

stendent in one of his mills. He wrote to in editor, an old friend in Chicago, and isked him to recommend somebody. The editor wrote back: 'James Gregory is the very man for you. He has had experience, he is clever, and I can recommend him from twenty years' acquaintance. "The manufacturer telegraphed immed-

pale and looks like a schoolboy.
"'I am James Gregory,' he said when he

Time When the Great General Crowed Like a Rooster

"I think the plebs in this room will some day in the future excel as artillerymen."

Another voice piped up, saying: "That fellow Sherman particularly is bound to be a general of big guns some day."

Then the door of the plebs' quarters was pushed open and the yearlings entered. The spokesman informed the perturbed greenhorns that he and his little party of tellowers convidenced it their duty.

everely reprimanded for "creating a dis-urbance in barracks."

(From the Cleveland Plain Dealer.)

"The Boers are evidently grearly lacking in the simplest rules of etiquette."

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"The only use to which they apparently think white handkerchiefs are to be put is to delude British soldiers into the belief that they have surrendered."

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